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SUMMARY: IN AFTERNOON SESSION NOVEMBER 21 COMMITTEE CONTINUED TO HEAR GENERAL STATEMENTS ON SUBJECT. SPEAKERS WERE DELS FROM ITALY, COLOMBIA, AND KENYA (ALL FAVORABLE TO BRAZILIAN DRAFT), AND BULGARIA (SUPPORTING SOVIET DRAFT). IN REPLY TO CLELAND OF GHANA ON STANDARDS OF TROOP PAYMENTS, SYG REP GAVE DETAILED JUSTIFICATION FOR VARIATIONS IN PAYMENTS AMONG PEACE-KEEPING FORCE CONTINGENTS IN PAST. HE ALSO JUSTIFIED \$440.00 PER MAN PER MONTH AS ACCURATE UNCLASSIFIED

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ESTIMATE. CHAIRMAN ANNOUNCED THAT VOTING ON FINANCING

WILL TAKE PLACE NOVEMBER 23 A.M.

- 1. ITALIAN DEL MAJOLI EXPRESSED A PREFERENCE FOR REGULAR SCALE OF ASSESSMENT BUT AGREED TO SUPPORT BRAZILIAN DRAFT. HE URGED SPEEDY CONSENSUS AND STRESSED THAT UNEF ASSESSMENTS WERE MANDATORY EVEN THOUGH SPECIAL ACCOUNT WAS BEING SET UP. COLOMBIAN DEL (SALAZAR) IN SUPPORTING BRAZILIAN DRAFT STATED IT DEVOID OF POLITICAL TINT AND EQUITABLE APPORTIONMENT OF EXPENSES. KENYA (KITI) OFFERED FULL SUPPORT TO BRAZILIAN DRAFT AND IMPLIED HIS OPPOSITION TO SOVIET PROPOSAL. HE URGED SPEEDY ACTION WHILE PROMISING THAT HE WOULD STUDY FURTHER VARIOUS AMENDMENTS TABLED. HE CONSIDERED PORTUGUESE AMENDMENTS NOT WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION.
- 2. GHANA (CLELAND) QUESTIONED SYG REP (ZIEHL) ABOUT LACK OF STANDARD FOR PAYMENTS FOR INDIVIDUAL TROOP CONTINGENTS. IN DETAILED REPLY, ZIEHL REFERRED TO DIFFERENCE OF SITUATION OF INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPATING STATES, NEED FOR GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION, URGENT NEEDS OF UN AT VARIOUS TIMES, POLITICAL DECISIONS OF SC, ETC. HE THEN DISTRIBUTED A/C.5/L.1138 WHICH OFFERED TABLES ON APPORTIONMENT OF \$30 MILLION APPROPRIATION UNDER THREE SCALES BEING CONSIDERED.
- 3. CHAIRMAN ANNOUNCED THAT SEVERAL SPEAKERS WOULD GIVE EXPLANATION OF VOTE NOVEMBER 22 AND HE EXPECTED TO PUSH AMENDMENTS AND DRAFT RES TO VOTE ON NOVEMBER 23 IN A.M. BENNETT

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